

Amendments to the Claims:

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings of claims in the application:

Listing of Claims:

1. (Previously presented) A grilling system, comprising:

a grill base that is adapted to be heated, wherein the grill base has a top end, a bottom end, and an open interior that is adapted to hold a heatable substance that produces smoke or liquid vapors when heated, the top end defining at least one opening, thereby exposing the open interior;

an insert that is disposed within the interior of the grill base to divide the grill base into separate chambers, wherein the insert contacts and rests on the bottom end of the base, and wherein the insert is configured to hold the heatable substance;

a manifold coupled to the grill base so as to be positioned above the heatable substance, the manifold comprising a platform and at least one conduit that extends vertically upward from the grill base and through the platform;

whereby smoke or liquid vapors rising from the grill base pass through the at least one conduit and vertically above the platform.

2. (Original) A grilling system as in claim 1, wherein the grill base and the insert comprise a thermally conductive material.

3. (Previously presented) A grilling system as in claim 1, wherein the manifold comprises a thermally conductive material.

4. (Previously presented) A grilling system as in claim 1, further comprising a grill member that may be positioned above the manifold and wherein the manifold further comprises a platform that is adapted to removably hold the grill member.

5. (Original) A grilling system as in claim 4, wherein the platform includes a lip, and wherein the grill member is configured to rest on the lip.

Claim 6 (Canceled).

7. (Previously presented) A grilling system as in claim 1, further comprising a lid that is adapted to be placed over the manifold.

Claims 8-21 (Canceled).